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Impeachment Court in Session to Vote on Sulzer

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JUDGE IN HIGH COURT RAISES A QUESTION THAT MAY AID SULZER

Asks for Further Argument as to Whether Testimony of Morgenthau and Peck was Properly Set Forth in Charges.

By Samuel M. Williams, (Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.)
ALBANY, Oct. 13.—The Impeachment Court convened at 3 o'clock this afternoon, but instead of entering immediately upon consideration of the verdict, Judge Miller of the Court of Appeals said an important question would arise preliminary to consideration of the case on the merits. This is whether the action of the respondent as testified to by certain witnesses—namely Morgenthau and Peck—are sufficiently charged in the articles of impeachment to justify this court in considering them as separate charges of whether the testimony can be considered only as bearing upon the other acts charged.

"While the question was touched upon in the arguments," said the judge, "I would like to hear further from counsel on this point. Therefore, I suggest that before we go into executive session we call upon counsel for further argument."

Senator Wagner immediately moved an executive session. Presiding Judge Cullen inquired whether the private session was for consideration only of this motion by Judge Miller, and not on the main question.

"Only for the consideration of this question," said Senator Wagner. Whereupon the Court unanimously voted closed session.

Hundreds of persons thronged the corridors leading to the Senate Chamber eager to obtain admission to the trial which had today nearly completed its fourth week. Only those with cards of admission not by the guards, but scores hovered about the entrance awaiting such news as might lead out of the courtroom. All were excluded shortly after the proceedings began.

The court was delayed twenty minutes in assembling owing to a meeting of the Judges of the Court of Appeals which preceded. It was understood that they were discussing the procedure to be adopted in taking the court's vote on the eight articles of impeachment and in deciding the several constitutional questions which were left to the end of the trial for determination.

One of the first to take seat at the counsel table of the House of Managers was William Travers Jerome of New York. His reappearance in the courtroom caused a renewal of the oft-repeated rumor that he has been secretly in the employ of those in charge of the impeachment proceedings. He insisted, however, that he came only as a spectator.

The seal of silence had been imposed on members of the court. They were reminded not merely by the presiding Judge that they had assumed the new role of jurymen, but word had been passed by political leaders that it would be well to avoid all suspicion prejudging the case.

JUDGES HOLD A CONFERENCE ON QUESTIONS OF LAW.
Before the sessions began the nine Judges of the Court of Appeals held a conference in their own chambers to formulate their decisions on questions of law that will come up for determination before voting on the verdict. By common consent, though not by legal right, these nine judges will practically determine some of the most important questions involved. According to lay all members of the Court are on a plane of equality, each having one vote on questions of law as well as of fact.

But in practice unwritten rules of the trial the senatorial members have deferred almost without dissent to rulings made by Presiding Judge Cullen and endorsed by his associates on the bench.

In this afternoon's secret debate the views expressed by the Judges of Appeals will have dominant importance in determining the questions at issue. This

HOW HIGH COURT IS DIVIDED ON POLITICAL LINES

The composition of the High Court of Impeachment is as follows:

Court of Appeals Judges.....	9
Members of the Senate.....	15
Total.....	24
Necessary to convict Sulzer.....	18
Necessary to save Sulzer.....	20
Democratic Judges.....	5
Republican Judges.....	4
Democratic Senators.....	10
Republican Senators.....	16
Progressive Senator.....	1
Independence League Senator.....	1

There are two absentees—Judge John Clinton Gray who is in Europe, and Senator John C. Fitzgerald, who is ill in New York.

LINER MOMUS RUNS AGROUND

Steamship From This Port Sticks When Nearing New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 13.—The Southern Pacific passenger steamer Momus, from New York to New Orleans, ran aground at the entrance to the Mississippi River today. The steamship Chalmers is standing by. It is hoped to have the Momus clear at high tide this afternoon.

Southern Pacific officials say the 133 first cabin and 35 second cabin passengers are in no danger.

Life's Daily Drama

The curtain rises it sunrise and from then on through the working hours of the day a great human interest play that might well be called "The Struggle" is on.

Study the actors as they make their appearance in the morning. Some in search of positions, others in haste to hire or rent or buy or sell or invest, recover lost articles, locate missing friends or relatives, etc.

Watch them again upon their leaving-taking at night. Have they solved their daily problems?

You can usually read success or failure in their faces at night.

And you can pretty accurately forecast the outcome of their day's efforts by noting if they leave their homes in the morning with The World's Want Directory in their hands.

8,056 SUNDAY WORLD ADS YESTERDAY.
768 MORE THAN THE SUNDAY HERALD.

SUNDAY WORLD AD READERS ARE PLAYING STAR ROLES TO-DAY

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BOMB EXPLOSION ON MONROE STREET A BLUFF TO POLICE

Commissioner Dougherty Not Alarmed by Latest Job of Black Handers.

JERSEY PRISONERS TALK.

Two Gangsters in Hackensack Jail Describe 48 Crimes to New York Detectives.

When the latest Black Hand bomb banged in front of Candeloro Gatto's grocery store at No. 6 Monroe street, near 3 o'clock this morning—a playful reminder on the part of the "Bomb Trust" that the police had not gathered in all of the ready workers in explosives—Deputy Commissioner Dougherty had in his safe confessions to 48 prior incidents of similar character and the names of several blackmailers still uncaught who participated in these and other offenses by dynamite. As a consequence the latest bursting of another bomb—it was at least three sticks of dynamite this time, according to Inspector Owen Egan—did not worry Dougherty greatly or cause him to waver in his belief that the swift developments since Friday have brought to his hands the people who have caused a virtual reign of terror on the east side since the first of the year.

CHEAP DEFIANCE OF POLICE, SAYS DOUGHERTY.

"That bomb this morning was just a cheap defiance of the detectives," was the way the Deputy Commissioner dismissed the explosion to-day. "Gatto had received no threatening letters for more than a year, he says. There was no particular reason why his place should have been the one selected. Either the few of the members of the organized dynamiting gang still uncaught wished to flash a piece of defiance for the sake of impressing the people who have paid them tribute in the past or a defense fund for the sake of those arrested in process of collection, and this was the playful method of emphasizing the necessity for everybody's coming through with the coin."

The Deputy Commissioner and Assistant District-Attorney Manley were in conference to-day, getting into legal shape the various confessions by members of the dynamiting gang and the corroborative evidence which has been discovered by the Central Office squad, so that the entire matter of the Black Hand outrages can be laid before the Grand Jury as speedily as possible.

Several of the men named by Lehman, alias Schmitt, who was one of the "lighters" in the bomb distributing business by the man calling himself Burke, another "lighter," and others implicated in the wholesale conspiracy of destruction are known to have fled the State. They can be more quickly arrested if indictments are found against them, and indictments will follow some time this week, it was said to-day.

NEW JERSEY OFFICIALS EAGER TO CO-OPERATE.

The authorities of Bergen County, N. J., have signified their willingness to drop the cases against Lehman and John Rizzo, who were arrested for the automobile hold-ups back of the Palisades, in one of which Chief Magistrate McAdoo figured, and for the explosion of a bomb in the clothing manufactory of Kline & Company at Lyndhurst. They will do this in order that the two prisoners may be brought over to New York to give evidence before the Grand Jury.

Acting-Captain Jones and Detectives Di Martini and Fogarty visited these two in the Hackensack jail yesterday and from Lehman obtained confessions to four-eight bomb explosions wherein all details and names of others involved were given.

Joseph Weder of No. 72 Goeck street, who was arrested to-day near the scene of the explosion on Monroe street, was remanded to Headquarters in the Tombs Court today. He will be taken before the prisoners now being held to determine if they can recognize him as one of the dynamiters.

Hacking Balloons Nighted.

PARIS, Oct. 13.—Five of the eighteen spherical balloons which started yesterday from the Tuileries Gardens in the international race for the James Gordon Bennett cup passed over Paris to-day at dawn, proceeding toward the south. They could not be identified.

BECKER WILL TELL ALL IF CONVICTION IS SUSTAINED

Willing to Save His Life by Exposing Men "Higher Up," It Is Said.

WHITMAN WON'T TALK.

But Former Police Lieutenant, in Shadow of Death, Reported to Be Weakening.

Lieut. Charles Becker, sitting in the shadow of the electric chair at Sing Sing, is willing to confess if that prove to be the last means of saving his life. This information was given General credence to-day in the office of District-Attorney Whitman. It was added by those who professed a certain knowledge of the details that the word of Becker's willingness to tell what he knew, reveal the secrets of blackmail taken from gamblers and other law-breakers and name the men who ultimately got it, had come to the District-Attorney from several sources. The convicted police commander, now that the day of the Court of Appeals' decision approaches, has become more and more nervous of the outcome. It is said Becker has a suspicion that the opinion of the high court will be against him. It is added that he has been reasoning out one last desperate means of saving himself from the chair.

One of the several persons who brought reports of Becker's plan to the District-Attorney's office said that the ex-police lieutenant realized that he might save himself from the capital penalty imposed for the Rosenthal murder by revealing the ins and outs of the then prevalent police blackmail system. Becker, the informant reported, stood ready to tell the names of all the men higher up and reveal the sinister forces behind the game of extortion and death. However, Becker isn't going to talk save as a last resort.

District-Attorney Whitman asked what he knew of the supposed Becker confession and what action he was likely to take in case the convicted man told what he knew, said:

"I must decline to discuss the matter in any way," and persistently refused either to admit or deny that he knew of Becker's willingness to confess.

The Court of Appeals will hear the Becker argument some time within the month. Until the arguments are heard an indecision is delivered Becker will have ample time to get ready his proposed journal.

"ALL WELL," REPORTS HEALTH OFFICER IN WIRELESS MESSAGE.

The 105 survivors of the Volturno tragedy proceeding to this port aboard the Grosser Kurfuerst were little the worse to-day for their passage through fire and water, according to a wireless message received here from Dr. Joseph J. O'Connell, Health Officer at Quarantine. Dr. O'Connell is a passenger aboard the Kaiser Wilhelm II., also westward bound. His message follows:

"Grosser Kurfuerst with 105 survivors of Volturno about 600 miles from New York, saluted by Captain Dahl of Kaiser Wilhelm II. for their heroic work. Reported all well. Grosser Kurfuerst will arrive Wednesday."

LAUREL RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Selling, for two-year-olds; five and a half furlongs—Lady Grant, 107 (Butwell), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even; first: Redpath, 110 (Gentry), 12 to 1, 5 to 1 and 5 to 2; second: Ortyx, 107 (Karrick), 11 to 5, 4 to 5 and 3 to 5; third: Time 1:03 3-5. Lamb's Tail, Behest, Bulsar, Scarlet Letter, Pool of Fortune, Lan-wood, Elmhill, No Manager also ran.

SECOND RACE—Selling, for three-year-olds and up; one mile and a sixteenth—Flammarion, 96 (Nathan), 3 to 5, 7 to 10 and 1 to 2; first: Little Jupiter, 96 (Butwell), 9 to 2, 1 to 5 and 3 to 5; second: The Trump, 115 (Watts), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5; third: Time 1:18. Gerard, Henotic, Frog, Mary Ann K., Ella Grane also ran.

Sunday World "Wants" Work Monday Wonders.

Young Commander of the Volturno, Who Forced Cowardly Crew to Work



WALDO'S NEW COPS CHEERED BY CROWD AS THEY GO ON POST

Veterans, Whom They Support, Praise Their Fine, Soldierly Appearance.

The double doors of the West Sixty-eighth street police station were swung open at 8:30 o'clock this morning and several hundred men, women and children craned their necks for a first glimpse of Police Commissioner Waldo's new policemen, the "young and untainted recruits," from the school of instruction, who, the Commissioner hopes, are to make the Fourth Inspection District of New York the model police inspection district of the world.

Some one clapped his hands and the crowd took up the applause as a double row of young policemen came into view. Their uniforms were spotless, their shields and buttons gleamed, the white braided trousers were crumpled to knife edges. They were serious looking young men and they marched as a detachment of West Point cadets might march.

On the sidewalk the double line broke sharply, one file turning to the west toward Amsterdam avenue, the other to the east toward Broadway. At the head of one marched Lieut. Ryan. In front of the other Sergeant. Made set the pace. Behind them stepped forty-two men. It was the "turnout" of the first platoon of the new guardians of the Fourth Inspection District. At approximately the same time, similar platoons issued from the West One Hundredth street and the West Forty-seventh street stations. These platoons, with the Arsenal in Central Park, compose the Fourth In-

BREWER BUSCH'S WILL DIVIDES \$75,000,000

St. Louis Magnate Said to Have Left \$2,000,000 to Charity—Son Succeeds Him.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The will of Adolphus Busch, who died in Germany Friday, probably will be made public immediately after the funeral, which is expected to take place here Oct. 25. The estate to be disposed of in the will is estimated at \$75,000,000. A lawyer closely identified with the Busch interests to-day said that two years ago Mr. Busch drew up his last testament, naming his son, August A. Busch, and his son-in-law, Edward A. Faust, as executors of the estate, and lodging control of his brewery in August A. Busch. Both August A. Busch and Mr. Faust are vice-presidents of the brewing company.

It is estimated that the brewer makes bequests for charitable, educational and public purposes aggregating \$2,000,000. The attorney said: "It is well known that Mr. Busch contemplated making generous allowances for worthy public purposes and his liberality in this respect has not been confined to St. Louis."

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EXPLOSION KILLED 50 ON VOLTURNO BEFORE FIRE SWEEPED THE SHIP

Grosser Kurfuerst, One of Rescue Liners, Sends Story of How Seamen Fought in Gale to Save Those on Board.

144 DEAD IN DISASTER ON THE LATEST LIST

Liner Rappahannock Pumped Oil in Sea and Helped the Lifeboats to Approach Doomed Vessel.

ON BOARD THE NORTH GERMAN LLOYD STEAMSHIP GROSSER KURFUERST AT SEA (by wireless telegraph to Cape Race), Oct. 13.—With 105 survivors on board from the steamship Volturno, burned to the water's edge during a gale in mid-Atlantic and abandoned on Friday last, the Grosser Kurfuerst is approaching New York.

The passengers and crew of the Grosser Kurfuerst witnessed some thrilling scenes when their vessel, called by distress signals from the Volturno, arrived in her vicinity. They found the Volturno burning fiercely and her crew and passengers helpless in the heavy seas. It was learned by wireless messages from the flaming vessel that the fire had been started by an explosion in the forward hold at 7 o'clock on Thursday morning, ship's time.

On the arrival of the Grosser Kurfuerst the flames from the hold of the Volturno were leaping eighty feet into the air through the hatchway, and it was learned that fifty or more of the Volturno's crew and steerage passengers had been killed by the explosion and the fire.

Six boats were lowered immediately afterward from the Volturno's davits, and three of them still empty were smashed to pieces against the vessel's side.

Another with forty passengers on board capsized while being launched and all were lost.

The two others, with from sixty to eighty passengers on board, got away, but apparently were lost. Altogether twelve liners were brought by the wireless distress signals within hail of the Volturno.

CARMANIA FIRST TO THE RESCUE.

The Cunard liner Carmania was the first of these. She reached the scene at about 12 o'clock noon. Then followed the Seydlitz, the Grosser Kurfuerst, the Kronland, the New York, the Devonian, La Touraine, the Narragansett, the Minneapolis, the Asian, the Rappahannock and the Czar.

The sex was running too high to allow the taking off of the Volturno's passengers when the rescuing vessels came on the scene.

During the day time the flames from the hold of the Volturno were kept more or less under control, but about 9 o'clock on Thursday night, when the fire reached the coal bunkers and it was found necessary to close the bulkheads the pumps were unable to work at full pressure and the flames raged through the entire forward part of the vessel.

At twenty minutes to ten on Thursday night another explosion occurred on the Volturno and caused a panic among her despairing passengers and crew.

The Grosser Kurfuerst launched three boats and rescued thirty-two persons who had been washed into or jumped into the sea. One of the rescuing lifeboats was out for six hours and was nearly lost.

All those remaining on board the Volturno crowded together at the after end of the vessel were taken off safely after daybreak on Friday.

Second Officer E. Lloyd of the Volturno was one of the heroes of the disaster. He fell from a height of twenty feet while repairing the wireless apparatus on board his vessel, but continued to fight the fire all day, and at 7 o'clock in the evening made a perilous trip to the Grosser Kurfuerst in a small boat with three others from the Volturno. The life craft was sinking when she was picked up by one of the life-

VINCENT ASTOR LANDS DEPUTY SHERIFF JOB

Hornbeck of Dutchess County Adds Young Millionaire to His Law and Order Force.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Oct. 13.—Vincent Astor, the richest young man in America, put another bar up against the world today. He landed a law-enforcement job of Dutchess County sheriff's deputy.

Hornbeck handed Astor the papers in the shape of his badge and credentials.

SAILING TO-DAY.

Granum, Rotterdam..... 10 A. M.
Princess Anne, Norfolk..... 3 P. M.